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1. Whereas, the Thomas G. Carpenter Library is the only public academic library
2. servicing the Northeast Florida area and,
3. Whereas the university library plays a vital and necessary role in the dynamic
4. process of higher education and the continued progress of local businesses and,
5. Whereas the recent funding crisis at UNF has necessitated the extreme curtailment
6. in the purchase of books, journals, newspapers and the cancellation of
7. existing subscription of journals and newspapers and,
8. Whereas the university library doubled its size in 1981 from 60,000 sq.ft. to
9. 120,000 sq. ft. with NO increase in professional staff which has limited the
10. scope and quality of service available and,
11. Whereas the lack of funding has curtailed the operational hours of the library
12. thereby limiting the research and study time of students, faculty, and local
13. businesses and,
14. Whereas UNF is a young and growing institution with extended needs necessary for
15. providing a solid educational foundation and,
16. Whereas the professional library staff has determined that the basic annual
17. monetary needs for resources to be \$720,000 with the 81-82 fiscal year
18. allocation of \$440,000.
19. Therefore let it be resolved that the Student Government Association of the
20. University of North Florida implores Governor Bob Graham, members of the

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Introduced By: _____

Committee Action: _____

House Action: _____

Jack M. Nunnery

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Vetoed

President S.G.A.

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state legislature, and the Board of Regents to continue their pass

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trend in demanding academic excellence by increasing UNF's allocation for

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library resources by \$300,000 for fiscal year 82-83.

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Introduced By: Pat Kenney

Committee Action: _____

House Action: _____

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Vetoed

President S.G.A.